

REMARKS

Applicant wishes to make minor amendments to the specification and claims to put this application in better form for examination.

Amendments to the Specification

Applicant has made several amendments to the specification by substituting “inventive subject matter” for “subject matter”.

In the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 20, the sentence “Such embodiments of the inventive subject matter may be referred to, individually and/or collectively, herein by the term ‘invention’ merely for convenience and without intending to voluntarily limit the scope of this application to any single invention or inventive concept if more than one is in fact disclosed.” has been appended.

No new matter has been added by way of these amendments to the specification.

Amendment to Claim 13

Claim 13 has been amended by deleting the word “system” from the preamble for consistency with the preamble of base claim 12. No new matter has been introduced.

Conclusion

Consideration of claims 1-30 is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney, Walter W. Nielsen (located in Phoenix, Arizona) at (602) 298-8920, or the below-signed attorney (located in Minneapolis, Minnesota) to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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